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COAST BLACKOUT

SAN FRANCISCO, (UP)—A night of blackouts and air raid alarms ordered by military authorities brought the war close to the west coast today.

Army authorities asserted enemy aircraft was operating off California's shores, and before dawn two blackouts had been ordered for the San Francisco Bay region while the Pacific northwest and San Diego remained in darkness night-long. Sacramento also had a blackout.

Considerable confusion surrounded the alert signals. The first was ordered when planes were detected about 100 miles off San Francisco. Brig. Gen. William Ryan, commanding the 4th interceptor command, was convinced they were enemy craft.

He said the Navy was attempting to "locate and give battle" to the invaders.

The second warning presumably was caused by U. S. Navy patrol bombers that failed to identify themselves.

There was no immediate statement from army headquarters, but it was learned that at least one of three patrol bombers supposedly searching for an enemy aircraft carrier, had dived behind, and they were detected by listening posts that presumed them safely back at their base.

Gen. Ryan said that inasmuch as the planes failed to identify themselves, they were open to suspicion and were subject to being fired upon at will.

"We just can't take any chances," he said.

The initial "enemy" force was believed to number 60 planes. It approached the Golden Gate, divided into two squadrons that raced up and down just off the coast and apparently even ventured over Fort Barry, at the entrance to the gate. The planes were flying too high to be visible to searchlights that swept the skies. They soon disappeared at sea.

The report was relayed up and down the coast. Radio stations were ordered off the air lest their signals afford direction posts. Black-

outs were imposed at army posts, navy bases, defense plants and numerous cities.

"This was not a drill," he said. Neither army nor navy headquarters would amplify remarks that the navy was attempting to "locate and give battle" to the planes.

WAR DECLARATIONS

By UNITED PRESS
Fourteen nations and the exiled governments of five other nations have declared war on Japan since Sunday, and at least two more—Cuba and South Africa—are expected to declare war today.

Those proclaiming a state of war are the United States, Great Britain, Australia, Canada, New Zealand, Costa Rica, Panama, Nicaragua, El Salvador, Honduras, Haiti, Dominican Republic, Guatemala and China.

The Netherlands East Indies also declared war as did the exiled governments of Free France, Greece, Belgium and Poland.

Three countries have severed diplomatic relations with Japan—Mexico, Colombia and Egypt.

37 CASUALTIES REVEALED

WASHINGTON, (UP)—The War Department, issuing the first official casualty list of the United States-Japanese war, today listed the names of 37 American soldiers who were killed in raids on Oahu. This was a partial listing.

The list of men killed in bombardment of the Hawaiian base included from California:

Second Lieut. Hans C. Christiansen, Air Corps, next of kin, Peter C. Christiansen, father, Woodland, Calif.

CARRIER REPORTED SUNK

MANILA, (UP)—A totally unidentified rumor circulated today that a Japanese aircraft carrier has been sunk off Zamboales, on the west coast of Luzon, north of Manila.

"CONSIDERABLE LOSSES"

MANILA, (UP)—Gen. Douglas MacArthur said today the "Japanese sustained considerable losses yesterday" in attacks on the Philippines. MacArthur said material losses in planes were suffered by both sides. The exact number lost is a military secret, he said.

Australians Busy

CANBERRA, Australia, (UP)—Since the Australian Air Force entered the war, its reconnaissance squadrons have flown more than 4,000,000 miles in patrols over 75,000,000 square miles of four oceans.

Building Ordinance Clarified In Statement By Supervisors

Expressing the belief that the terms of the building permit ordinance recently enacted by the Board of Supervisors are not thoroughly understood by all, Chairman Cyril H. Heuser has issued the following statement on behalf of the entire Board:

"Nearly every county in the state has a building ordinance. In most counties a permit is necessary for repairs or new construction of \$50 or more and a builder is required to

pay for a building permit and also for an inspector.

"In our ordinance we have allowed for repairs or new construction up to \$250 before a one-dollar license is necessary, and there is no inspection charge regardless of cost.

"This ordinance is for the sole purpose of getting all new building on the assessment rolls thereby equalizing the taxes for everybody in the county."

ARMY DESERTERS ASK PROBATION ON AUTO THEFT CHARGE

Robert E. Mendez and Lee L. McElfresh, who were arrested by El Dorado County officers in the Grizzly Flat section for the theft of an automobile at Seattle, will come before Judge Harold Louderback in federal court at Sacramento on December 15, for action on their plea of guilty and their request for probation.

According to Sheriff George M. Smith, the men admitted they had deserted from the Army at stations in the northwest.

The two pleaded guilty to a federal grand jury indictment charging the inter-state transportation of a stolen car.

Death of the Lehigh



Samuel Hakam, radio operator of the *Lehigh*, made these photographs of the sinking of the American freighter from the lifeboat in which he escaped. The *Lehigh* was torpedoed in the south Atlantic, about seventy-five miles northwest of Freetown, Africa. Top, the stern can be seen dipping under the water. Center, the water comes amidship and the bow lifts clear of the sea. Bottom, the ship seems to stand on her stern, the bow pointing straight to the sky. All aboard were rescued.

JUNIOR COLLEGE CHOIR SINGS IN PHILHARMONIC CONCERT

The Sacramento Junior College A Cappella Choir will appear as guest artists on the Placerville Philharmonic Orchestra program Thursday, December 11, at the Shakespeare Clubhouse at 8:15 o'clock. The program is free to the public, the doors opening at 7:45.

The program will include many well known classics, "The Caliph of Baghdad," three movements of the "Eine Kleine Nachtmusik," by Mozart; "Minuet in G," by Beethoven; and closing with the "Blue Danube" waltz. The choir will give two groups of Christmas music.

Because of the large audience the orchestra concert had last spring, extra chairs will be installed in the auditorium.

The program will be the first of the season, with two to follow in February and April, all being free to the public.

Announcement will be made later for the audition date for try-outs for the second concert. This concert will feature one or more talented musicians of El Dorado County which will be chosen by a committee.

Man Caused Fires Drop

Lightning Accounted For 847 Forest Blazes, Says Summary For Season

SAN FRANCISCO—Uncle Sam's national forest rangers and supervisors of the California Region breathed deeply and thankfully today as they rode the range, scaled logs, developed public recreational facilities or planned post-war forestry and agricultural projects.

And with good reason. The forest fire season now is well over in each of the 18 national forests of California and southwestern Nevada, and Forest Service records show an unusually low number of man-caused fires for the year.

This season's man-caused fires in the national forests of the region totaled 766, compared to 874 last year and an annual average of 890 for the past five years.

Lighting started 847 forest fires during 1941.

Cost of suppressing the current year's fires, which burned 103,400 acres, amounted to \$600,000 for labor, subsistence, transportation and equipment.

Public Co-Operation Is Asked

The office of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company has issued the following announcement:

The present emergency today is heavily taxing our long distance facilities. We will appreciate your cooperation in your not making other than the most urgent long distance calls. We ask this in order that our long distance lines may, in all cases be readily available to the Army, Navy and other branches of our Government.

Tokyo And Kobe Bombed, Report

ROOSEVELT TO DISCUSS WAR "PATTERN"

House Naval Affairs Committee Will Sift Pearl Harbor Attack

WASHINGTON, (UP)—President Roosevelt's address to the nation tonight will be devoted largely to a discussion of "the Nazi pattern" of the present war involving the United States, the White House said today.

The announcement followed the White House accusation yesterday that Germany had done everything possible to push Japan into the war against this country. Congressional leaders have signified instant willingness to acknowledge war with Germany and Italy as well if those two Axis partners join Japan.

Reports from Germany that the Nazi position would be clarified perhaps within the next 24 hours led administration officials here to prepare for any contingency.

A hint as to possible things to come was a report unconfirmed that the German embassy had begun to burn secret papers, usually a forerunner to a break in diplomatic relations. The embassy had "no comment" on the reports.

The house naval affairs committee, meantime, summoned Secretary of Navy Frank Knox and Chief of Naval Operations Harold R. Stark to explain in secret session tomorrow why Japan was able to carry out the devastating attack on Pearl Harbor Sunday.

Asked for latest news of the war, Early said the President had checked his official dispatches with the newspaper stories on the battle of the Pacific and had found that the newspapers had most of the facts that the government has at this time.

About reports of air raids on San Francisco, Early said "you know as much about it as the President" (Continued on Page Four)

Coloma Girl To Wed S. F. Man

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Metcalfe Tell Berthol of Daughter To Gordon A. Carman

COLOMA—Mr. and Mrs. George Homer Metcalfe of Coloma are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Lillian Elizabeth, to Gordon Allen Carman of San Francisco. The wedding date has been set for December 21 at 12:30 and will be solemnized in the historical Episcopal Church in Coloma and the rector of the Placerville Episcopal Church will officiate.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Carman, Mr. and Mrs. Metcalfe and the young couple are being invited to the ceremony which will be followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents for relatives and close friends.

Mr. Carman, a graduate of the University of Nevada, who formerly taught in the Reno High School and Phillips Commercial School in Honolulu, is now attending the College of Physicians and Surgeons School of Dentistry, San Francisco. He is the son of Mrs. Nelle Carman of Sparks, Nevada.

Miss Metcalfe, a graduate of the El Dorado County High School and Armstrong's Business College, Berkeley, is a charter member of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, Placerville, and took an active part in the affairs of that organization. For several years she has made her home in the Bay district and is now employed in San Francisco.

Women Succeed

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., (UP)—Two women hunters—Alice Hamilton and Mrs. Van Zee—who were told there were no elk in these parts by male nimrods, came back with two large elk.

HOME GARDENS FOR DEFENSE

Bulletins Available To Parties Interested At Extension Service Office

By IVAN LILLEY
Farm Advisor

For some time the Extension Service and other federal agencies have been talking about the desirability of family gardens on the farm to help in the program for national defense. A large number of farm people felt that we were so far removed from conflict that the matter of growing home gardens was not important. We are now at war and the necessity for home gardens becomes more acute than at any time since the first World War.

Experience in the first World War and in the countries that have been fighting in the present war brings out the necessity of an adequate food supply, not only for the armed forces but for the civilian population. It has been demonstrated that in long periods of strain the people who are the best fed not only in quantity but in variety are able to withstand the nerve strain much better than those not receiving an adequate diet.

In times of war armed forces come first, and transportation is an important factor in their operations. In areas such as El Dorado County where much of the vegetables and other foods are brought in by truck, it might become difficult to get the proper variety of these foods if the armed forces require the use of trucks now used for the purpose of hauling produce. Every pound of vegetables or home-grown foods produced and consumed on the farm will release just that much to the forces fighting for our country without creating a shortage.

Following the war we can expect a decrease in individual cash income. Those folks who plant home gardens during the present emergency will not only be helping in the defense of our country but will be gaining experience in growing vegetables and other home-grown foods that will assist them in increasing their income during the years to come when cash income might be low.

Emergency bulletins are available at the Farm Advisor's office dealing with the production of home vegetable gardens, home poultry flocks, home pork production, home milk production, home fruit production, and home rabbit production, as well as regular University bulletins covering most phases of agriculture and livestock production.

UNION CHURCH MEETING IS ANNOUNCED FOR JANUARY 4TH

On Monday at the noon hour, the Ministerial Association and a Committee of laymen from the different churches met at the Raffles Hotel for a luncheon.

Plans were worked out and approved for a Union Meeting of all the churches to be held on January 4, 1942 at the Federated Church.

Also the committee wholeheartedly approved the plan for a Religious Survey of Placerville. It was the unanimous opinion that great good would be derived from a united effort put forth at this time by the local churches.

In the near future each church will be asked to organize groups to work in cooperation with their local churches and then to form a larger group which will work under the supervision of the Ministerial Association and the Laymen's committee.

Those present at the luncheon were: Reverends Jess Rudkin, Erwin Castledine, Wilder Immel, Don DePasquale.

Members of the Laymen's committee, Merle Thomas, H. Duden, B. Pierroz, Fred Boggs, and C. E. Cribbs.

MANILA ATTACK IS RENEWED AT DAWN

Severe Fighting Along Malaya Coast Meets Thrust At Singapore

By UNITED PRESS

Japan slashed at the Philippines and Malaya today but there were hints that American long-range bombers had retaliated with attacks on Tokyo, Kobe and the Island of Formosa.

Official confirmation of raids on Japanese industrial and naval centers was lacking, but the German radio said that Tokyo had ordered air raid precautions in the areas north and south of the capital.

A Tokyo broadcast said that there had been no enemy planes over Japan up to 8:20 p. m., EST, Monday, but a Columbia Broadcasting System correspondent at Manila relayed reports that the Japanese capital and Kobe, which is the center of an important Naval yard, had been bombed.

A British communique said that artillery batteries at Hong Kong had "halted" a Japanese land attack on that isolated and blockaded colony.

Japanese airplanes bombed the Manila area by moonlight and returned to the islands this morning after a series of attacks that caused considerable damage at Clark Field, near Manila and to scattered objectives throughout the Philippines including Davao, Iba, Baguio and Taguigharao. One American Naval ensign was killed at Davao and one killed and 12 wounded at the United States Army station of Nichols Field.

There were persistent reports without confirmation that Japanese had landed on the island of Luzon, which lies off the entrance to Manila Bay and is about 80 miles (Continued on Page Four)

State Guards "Stand By"

Enlistments Continuing; County Defense Set-Up Undergoes Some Changes

The 18th provisional company of the California State Guards continued subject to call Tuesday and it was announced from the office of T. S. Marlor, captain commanding, that enlistments will be accepted until further order.

Men interested in applying for enlistment in the State Guard should call at Captain Marlor's office.

It was reported Tuesday that there have been some changes in the plans initiated Monday looking to the particular defense of certain areas of the county and that the set-up as in effect on Tuesday will be continued without further change, at least for the present.

In keeping with previously established plans, members of the Aircraft Warning Service are at their posts and are carrying out their work according to instructions.

13 Shopping Days Left

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

They have paid for medical research on the problem of tuberculosis among young children, young adults and young mothers.

State Guard Volunteers Wanted

Additional enlistments in the local company of the California State Guard have been authorized. Volunteers will report at No. 429 Main Street.

T. S. MARLOR,
Capt. C. S. G.

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JAPAN TREACHEROUSLY PLANNED HAWAII RAID
TO TAKE PLACE BEFORE HER ENVOYS
CONCLUDED "PEACE" DISCUSSIONS

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Japan's plans to break off diplomatic negotiations here at the very moment Japanese planes were attacking the United States are shown in a reconstruction of the final events in America's efforts to preserve peace.

It was doubtful whether Japan's representatives here knew of the exact action which Japan's armed forces would take but when they received their instructions from Tokyo they must have known some decisive step was at hand.

Secretary of State Cordell Hull, releasing the documents which played a part in the final collapse of the U. S.-Japanese negotiations, said "it is now apparent to the whole world that Japan in its recent professions of a desire for peace has been infamously false and fraudulent."

The Japanese asked at 1 p. m. Sunday for an appointment with Hull. That was 25 minutes before the attack on Hawaii. When they arrived at the state department, it was 2:05 p. m. or 40 minutes after the bombing had begun.

The timing was dictated by Tokyo because the decoding and translating of the lengthy document to Hull in rejecting American proposals for a peaceful agreement required several hours and could not have been

judged so neatly.
The document, branded by Hull as "crowded with infamous falsehoods and distortions," not only rejected the American statement of basic principles but accused the United States of conspiring for "extension of the war," and charged that the United States, Great Britain and other powers were attempting to strengthen their position in the Far East at the expense of Japan.

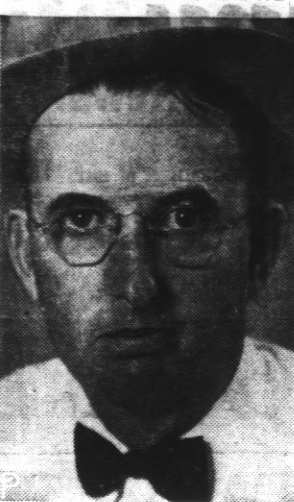
The 70-year-old Hull, his efforts for peace collapsing in the face of Japan's refusal to negotiate further, told Ambassador Nomura in a burst of indignation:

"I must say that in all my conversations with you during the last nine months I have never uttered one word of untruth. This is borne out absolutely by the record. In all my 50 years of public service I have never seen a document that was more crowded with infamous falsehoods and distortions—on a scale so huge that I never imagined until today that any government on this planet was capable of uttering them."

The state department and White House made public during the day President Roosevelt's unprecedented peace appeal sent Saturday to Emperor Hirohito the text of the Hull Memorandum to the Japanese on Nov. 26, and the Japanese reply. The President's message may never have been received by the Emperor.

In it Mr. Roosevelt urged the withdrawal of Japanese forces from Indo-China and promised in return to attempt to obtain assurances that no other power would invade that French colony, now completely dominated by Japanese forces. The President said that a withdrawal of the Japanese from Indo-China "would result in the assurance of peace throughout the whole of the South Pacific area."

Deletes 'Dust Bowl'



Albert Law, editor of the Dalhart, Tex., newspaper, is looking for the person who coined the term, "Dust Bowl," for the Southern Great Plains. He wants to take him on a tour of the area which, this year, is brimming with a record crop. Law also offers \$25 for a new term best describing present conditions.

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Recorder's Filings

November 29, 1941
Reconveyance, trustee to Urban and Ella Frost.
Notice of non-responsibility, by Genevieve McBeth and others.
Abstract of judgment, California Employment Commission vs. B. W. Spangle.
Reconveyance, trustee to C. H. and Henrietta Weeks.
Deed, Carl H. and Henrietta Weeks to A. W. and Dorothy Lampson.
Deed, Earl C. and Violet Potts to Jerrold D. and Pearl Potts.

December 1, 1941
Notice of non-responsibility, by Della Garney.
Notice of advance, the Capital National Bank to Alvan W. and Dorothy Lampson.
Chattel and crop mortgage, Geo. D. and Minnie L. Threlkel to Pacific Fruit Exchange.
Amended notices of location, Cove Hill Extension, Cove Hill No. 6, Yellow Jacket, Old Tool, The Wasp and Walkover claims, by Ray Yenter.

Deed, William B. and Ruth Baumhoff to E. P. and Marie Canepa.
Release of mortgage, Jennie L. Burke to Lennie I. Steever.
Notice of intention to sell business, Edith B. Baer to Levison and Schneider.
Supplemental agreement, Albert J. Rupley and Thomas J. Sigwart to Carl and Gladia B. Heuer.

December 2, 1941
Deed, William B. and Ruth Baumhoff to Bradford and Lucille Sanders.
Deed, H. R. and Anna M. Pollock to Rose Mansch.
Release of mortgage, Anna Ihnen to Wallace M. and Ethel C. Ripley.
Deed, Anna Ihnen to Wallace M. and Ethel C. Ripley.
Trust deed, Wallace M. and Ethel C. Ripley to Bank of America.

December 3, 1941
Release Stockton Production Credit Association to L. W. and Mary A. Wernett.
Notice of completion, by Clarence S. Collins.
Notice of completion, by Union Oil Company.

Notice of advance, The Capital National Bank to Homer and Jessie Madden.
Placer Mining statement by H. D. Hobb vice president of El Dorado Dredging Corporation.
Deed, Dwight D. Martin to Merco W. Petach and M. T. Kelly and wives.

December 4, 1941
Agreement, Placer County Title Co. to P. G. and E. Co.
Reconveyance, trustee to Vernard and Ann Pangburn.
Deed, Vernard Pangburn to Frank and Paula Monchamp.

Reconveyance, trustee to William L. E. Goyan and others.
Reconveyance, trustee to Chas. R. Young and others.
Right of way deeds, Josephine and Leslie Fowler, Marion and Dorothy Giudici, Sophia Rosenberg, W. R. and Jennie Greenslate, John and Huldah B. Balderston, Allen L. Balderston, Everett and Thelma M. Allen, John M. and Natalie A. Mace, Joseph P. and Margaret S. Delwisch, Melvin J. and Lois M. Mace, Frank Baldschun to P. G. & E. Co.

Placer mining statement, by Richard H. Nelson, president of Long Bar Gold Dredging Company.
Deeds, (3) DeWitt W. and Gladys Filmer Davis to Albert and Marie Nagel.

Trust deed, Albert and Marie Nagel to trustee of Bank of America.
Trust deed, Oscar and Ella Mentchen to trustee of Bank of America.
Deed, Franklin Griggs to Roy and Verna Vanderhayden.

Trust deed, John and Antonia Dunlop to trustee of Bank of America.

On The Air Tonight

5 to 6 P. M.
KFBK—News; 5:10 What's Doing in Town; 5:15 Christmas Show; 5:30 Music; 5:45 Tom Mix.
KROY—Alvino Rey; 5:30, News; 5:40, Waltz Time; 5:55, News.
KSFO—News; 5:15, Judy and Jane; 5:30 Studio; 5:45 News.
KPO—Don Winslow; 5:15 Concert; 5:30 Horace Heidt.
KGO—Adventure Stories; 5:15, Flying Patrol; 5:30, News; 5:45, Tom Mix.
KFRC—News Broadcast; 5:15, Shafter Parker Circus; 5:30 Captain Midnight; 5:45, Jack Armstrong.

6 to 7 P. M.
KFBK—Burns and Allen; 6:30 Fibber McGee and Molly.
KROY—Evening Altar; 6:15, News; 6:30 Steevens and Yeo; 6:30 Alice in Wonderland; 6:45 News.
KSFO—Second Husband; 6:30, Report to the Nation.
KPO—See KFBK.
KGO—Judy Splinters; 6:05 Organ; 6:15 News; 6:30 Symphony.
KFRC—Gabriel Heatter; 6:30, Studio Program; 6:30 News; 6:45 Envoys.

7 to 8 P. M.
KFBK—Mona; 7:05 Music; 7:30 Treasury Hour.
KROY—Dinner Serenade; 7:15 the Public Affairs Program; 7:30 Juan Arvizu; 7:45 Trio.
KSFO—Glenn Miller; 7:15, Public Affairs; 7:30 Don Glendon.
KPO—Bob Hope Program; 7:30, Red Skelton.
KGO—Symphony; 7:30 Treasury Hour.
KFRC—John B. Hughes; 7:15, Name Bands; 7:30 Studio and Sports.

8 to 9 P. M.
KFBK—To be Announced; 8:30, Information Please.
KROY—Between the Acts; 8:10; Popular Recordings; 8:30 Missing Heirs.
KSFO—Amos 'n' Andy; 8:15, Lanny Ross; 8:30, Court of Missing Heirs.
KPO—Pleasure Time; 8:15, Lum and Abner; 8:30, Johnny Presents.
KGO—8:30 Information Please.
KFRC—Studio; 8:25 All Say Yes; 8:30 Shadow; 9:55 News.

9 to 10 P. M.
KFBK—Easy Aces; 9:15, Studio; 9:25, News; 9:30, Battle of the Sexes.
KROY—We the People; 9:30 Dance Orchestra.
KSFO—We the People; 9:30 Arkansas Traveler; 9:55 They All Say Yes.
KPO—The Thin Man; 9:30, Battle of the Sexes.
KGO—Easy Aces; 9:15 Sam Hayes; 9:30 Hallet Orchestra; 9:45 the News.
KFRC—Orchestra; 10:30, News; 10:45 Flying Feet.

10 to 11 P. M.
KFBK—The Travelin' Show.
KROY—Songtime; 10:30 Hill Orchestra.
KSFO—News; 10:15, William Winter; 10:25, Studio; 10:30, Reid Tanner.
KPO—News; 10:15, On Our Bandstand; 10:30, Concert Hall.
KGO—Wildie's Orchestra; 10:30 Ravazza's Orchestra.
KFRC—10:15 Ray Noble; 10:30 the

SALMON FALLS NEWS

Henry Gray, Will and Myron Miller enjoyed a show and stag dinner at the Mess Hall, Folsom prison, Saturday evening.
Mrs. Hilda Sears and children recently spent several days in Lindsay, California, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sears, Sr.
Mrs. Will Miller and son, Myron, were recent overnight guests with relatives in Stockton.
Salmon Falls and Live Oaks districts did their parts for the Red Cross in a recent drive here.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burnett have sold their interests in Escalon and are living on their ranch here.
Ernest Brown was taken to Placerville hospital Tuesday, where he passed away Saturday. Mr. Brown purchased a ranch here about thirty years ago and has made a nice little home. His many friends will be sorry to learn of his death. He leaves a sister in Ohio. He was about 60 years of age.

S. F. Markets

SAN FRANCISCO, (AP)—Dairy market:
Butter — 92 score 36½; 91 score 35½; 90 score 34½; 89 score 32½.
Cheese—Wholesale flats 25; trip-lets 24½.
Eggs—Large 38½; medium 32½; large standards 34½; small 30½.
Central California Eggs—Large grade A 40; medium grade A 34; small grade A 32.
Nye Nissen eggs—Large grade AA 38; medium grade A 33; small grade A 31.

LUMBERYARD WORKERS END STRIKE "BECAUSE OF WAR CONDITIONS"

SAN DIEGO, (AP)—Thirteen hundred AFL lumberyard workers who struck for higher wages and a closed shop Monday of last week, returned to their jobs yesterday "because of the war situation."
The strike had closed most of San Diego's lumberyards for a week, halting shipment of lumber to vital Navy defense projects here.
K. G. Bitter, secretary of the AFL building trades council, said the men were ordered to return to work today "because of the war situation." He said "differences will be settled in negotiations today."
The AFL carpenters union, representing the striking workers, had sought a wage scale ranging from 87½ cents an hour for laborers to \$1.25 for skilled craftsmen. They also sought a written agreement guaranteeing a week's vacation with pay and a closed shop.

A. P. GIANNINI

founder of
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speaks to
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TONIGHT
6:30 to 7:00 P.M.

DON LEE NETWORK

KPMC—Bakersfield
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KHJ—Los Angeles
KMYC—Marysville
KYOS—Merced
KDON—Monterey
KVCV—Redding
KGB—San Diego
KFRC—San Francisco
KVEC—San Luis Obispo
KVOE—Santa Ana
KDB—Santa Barbara
KTKC—Visalia

"THE MANDARIN HOUSE MURDERS"
by Van Wyck Mason

CHAPTER XI

Captain North's ascent to laboratories on the Central Police Station's third floor was interrupted by a grave, big bearded Sikh who hurried up and clicked heavy hob-nailed heels.

"Gentleman below stairs asks for Captain Sahib."

"Sorry, I can't see him."

"Gentleman below stairs sent Captain Sahib this," and the Indian policeman presented a calling card engraved "Joseph T. Beardon, Consul-General of the United States."

Lips pursed into a soundless whistle, North set off after the turbaned messenger. So there was more news; undoubtedly it would be bad.

The Consul-General, white haired and patently nervous, was seated in the depths of a limousine beside a colonel of United States Marines. One glance at their faces warned North of the correctness of his intuition.

"Heard you'd gone here," Mr. Beardon remarked when North sank onto one of the pullman seats, "so the mountain has come to Mahomet. I thought you'd better know the latest news from Washington."

"It's not cheering, I take it?" "Hardly. Before Adams skipped, he altered the War Department's light steel formula into uselessness."

"Can't his collaborators recognize the changes?" "No. It seems Adams was the one who developed the essential formula. It's doubtful if the process can be rediscovered without his help."

"Um! So instead of wanting 'Adams dead or alive,' it's now a question of 'get Adams alive!'" "Precisely. Better read these."

By the limousine's dome light Captain North scanned the first of several transcribed code cables.

"To all United States Consular and Diplomatic Officers.
Immediate arrest and detention of Major Luther Adams is of critical importance. Military and naval authorities have been directed to offer all possible aid. Warrants will be immediately radioed from Nanking upon demand."

It was signed by the Secretary of State.

There were other cables. One from the War Department; another from the Chemical Warfare Division, and still a third from G-2 addressed to North himself.

In conclusion G-2 said: "Failure cannot be tolerated. Use any means to secure immediate capture of Adams. Unlimited financial backing is herewith placed at your disposal."

Fox-Conroy Brig-Gen. U.S.A.
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North was reopening the door when across the sidewalk Sir Guy

Huntingden's broad shouldered figure hurried into the police station. The Consul-General stiffened slightly and remarked, "You know, Captain, it won't do to have his people—or any other people, find Adams first."

When the limousine rolled away from the curb North paused to draw several deep breaths of the damp night wind. In view of these last developments he needed to clear his head. To swiftly silence Major Adams would have been difficult enough, but to bring him in alive—ah, that was a different matter. His own next steps, he foresaw, would not be easy and free of diplomatic complications. For, although the Shanghai Municipal police was nominally an international force responsible only to the Municipal Council, it was nonetheless manned by British subjects with only a leaning of other nationalities.

Um! In an ordinary city policed by an homogeneous force, it would have been hard enough to lay hands upon a man who had disappeared so completely as Luther Adams, but in Shanghai with its three sets of governments and its polyglot population, the prospect was appalling.

There was so much he needed to know. For instance, had Adams deserted the Mandarin House of his own free will—or with someone's gun jammed in his ribs? Was the deserter in any way responsible for the murder of the French munitions agent? And why had he told Marya Spurr? These and a dozen other cogent questions nagged at his brain with persistent fingers.

In the laboratory he found inspector Chao Ku and Major Kilgour, flanked by a pair of expert photographers. Judging from a litter of notes and calculations they had been hard at work for some time. One glance at the Englishman's ruddy countenance—though Kilgour was at pains to appear at ease—bore out his suspicions. He must have received orders not dissimilar to his own. An Italian cryptographer was not so successful in controlling his emotions, a nerve in his cheek kept up a betraying flutter. Watching these three was another S.M.P. cipher expert, a diminutive Japanese whose eyes behind half-lowered lids were restless as caged beasts behind bars.

"Getting anywhere?" North greeted on noting that all the evidence—newspaper, folding rule, envelope and burnt paper—was exposed for a general inspection.

"No," Kilgour smiled. "I fancy you're mistaken about this newspaper, Hugh. Fiaschetti, Kamanaki and I have tested for invisible ink, studied letter frequencies, and have even tried to read double meanings into every line of this wretched rag, but no go."

"Very clever or very stupid system must be employed, Tajen."

"They weren't crude enough to use the puncture system, were they?" Captain North caught up the North China Daily News front page and passed it slowly back and forth before a glaring light. He heaved a little sigh when no pin points of light beat through. "That would have been too good to be true. Well, Mr. Kamanaki, you're positive there's no indication of a hidden message?"

"Only fools are positive, Captain, but we have found nothing suspicious in the text."

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"In that case let's try deciphering the piece of burnt paper." Kilgour shrugged as he hung down his pencil. "A waste of time, don't you think, old lad? I fancy we'd get further by checking up on Colonel Spurr."

"Maybe so—why don't you try that tack?" But oddly enough, Major Kilgour lingered in the laboratory and with frank interest watched his colleague's preparations. Having again removed his dinner coat, North rolled up his sleeves and picked up a small pane of plate glass which lay ready on a bench littered with various chemical implements.

"By the bye, where's Spurr?" North could not resist inquiring while lightly coating the glass with gum arabic.

"I don't precisely know. The blighter managed to lose us when we started over here, but a man of ours was trailing him, so we'll have news of some kind soon. Careful, that cinder looks confounded brittle."

"It is. I'll have to steam it." For some minutes North patiently held the crinkled black mass on a piece of fine wire netting above a basin of steaming water. When the vapor had somewhat reduced the cinder's stiffness, he deftly placed it upon the gummed glass and gently commenced to smooth it with a heavy camel's hair brush. Despite all precautions bits broke off here and there, but fell into their relative positions. When an irregular black hexagon of ash lay comparatively flat, lights were manipulated over it until they revealed to best advantage what looked like a long series of numerals or calculations of some sort.

"Take this down, please," North directed after careful adjustment of his microscope. "A figure nine then two crink vertical bars; five and one long bar; fourteen, dash, three, dash, eighty-one, dash—" His voice droned on and Chao Ku's pencil point scraped audibly over a yellow scratch pad. North noted that the S.M.P. detective was using a hard, sharp pencil and felt immeasurably cheered. One had to play ball with Kilgour, but still—

In the end four incomplete lines of numerals appeared, separated here and there by double bars and, more frequently, by a single bar.

"Mr. Kamanaki, you're an expert in these matters; do these figures suggest any special form of cypher?" Kilgour demanded.

The Japanese hesitated, then noisily sucked his breath in between prominent front teeth.

"Captain North was correct in presuming this ash to have a bearing on our problem. These figures are undoubtedly part of a cypher message. But it is an unusual type. Eh, Signor Fiaschetti?"

The Italian only nodded but his eyes were bright with excitement.

"Here. You can work better with the transcription in front of you." North detached it from its pad and gave it into Mr. Kamanaki's eager yellow fingers. Then, while the Japanese knitted his brows and commenced an intricate calculation, Captain North deftly detached and pocketed the next sheet on the pad, complete with impressions of Chao Ku's pencil point. After all, a matter of such importance called not only for intelligence but for speed as well.

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NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR AUTHORITY TO CONVEY REAL PROPERTY ON COMPLETION OF CONTRACT.

No. 2430.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of El Dorado.

In the Matter of the Estate of MAX BAER.

Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Petition of Edith B. Baer, the Executrix of the estate of Max Baer, deceased, for an order authorizing and directing the Executrix to convey the real property herein-after described to the purchasers whose names appear before the various parcels hereinafter described, in compliance with the terms of the agreements of sale and purchase entered into by the decedent in his lifetime, through his Attorney-in-Fact, as seller, has been filed with the Clerk of the above entitled Court, and that Friday, the 19th day of December, 1941, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., of said day in the Courtroom of the said entitled Court in the Court House, in the City of Placerville, County of El Dorado, California, has been set for the hearing of said Petition, and all persons interested therein are hereby notified to appear at the time and place set for said hearing and show cause, if any they have, why the order should not be made.

The real property to be conveyed and the persons to whom conveyed is described as follows, to-wit:

To Charles L. Addison, Lot 16; to Albert H. Bloom, Lot 19; to Fern Gagnon, Lot 209; to B. G. Nelson, Lot 42; to M. S. Otis and E. J. Otis, Lot 149; to Albert W. Sears, Lot 207; to Carl Strard, Lot 132; to Claude W. and Georgia Savage, Lot 188; to E. H. Bray and Alma L. Bray, Lot 88; to Shirley Anderson, Lot 15, Blk. 14; to Julia Bianchi, lots 23-24, Blk. 7; to O. T. Bosquit, Lot 8, Blk. 6; to Cyrus S. Clark and Inez B. Clark, Lot 20, Blk. 4; to Warren P. Dayton and Veda F. Dayton, Lots 11-12, Blk. 18; to Warren D. Dayton, Lot 3, Blk. 18; Henry Gavazza, Lot 17, Blk. 22; to R. T. James and E. M. James, Lots 1-2, Blk. 26; to Willis J. McNabb, Lot 2, Blk. 25; to Lynn Marcum, Lot 7, Blk. 5; to Matthew J. Miller, Lots 16-17, Blk. 26; to E. T. Mayfield, Lot 9, Blk. 18; to E. S. Penrose, Lot 13, Blk. 6; to W. H. Pimentel and H. H. Pimentel, Lot 9, Blk. 6; to Marie Salton, Lot 13, Blk. 18; to Edw. Stillwell and Lola Stillwell, Lot 8, Blk. 6; to Melvin Sutton, Lots 7-8, Blk. 25; to E. J. Walker, Lot 22, Blk. 6; to E. I. Oberlightner, Lot 14, Blk. 14; to Eldon W. Thompson and Louise D. Thompson, Lot 23, Blk. 5; to Leigh W. Stafford, Lot 5, Blk. 11.

All the above described real property being situated in Township 13 North, Range 10 East, M. D. B. & M. and in the County of El Dorado, State of California, as shown on the Maps of Bijou Park and Bijou Park Addition of record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of El Dorado, State of California in Book A of Maps at Pages 10 and 18 respectively.

To H. J. Harlow the following described real property situated, lying and being in the County of El Dorado, State of California, and described as follows to-wit:

Commencing at the N. E. corner at the N. E. corner of the NW¹/₄ of SE¹/₄ of Sec. 33, T. 13 N. R. 18 E. M. D. M., marked by a galvanized iron pipe, capped, 2 ins. above ground.

Thence S 0° 32' 30" E. 57.41 ft. to the intersection with the northerly boundary of Lot 1, Block 1, Bijou Park Addition, said point of intersection being marked by a galvanized pipe 3 ins. diam. 2 ft. long set 20 ins. deep in the ground and with cap stamped "A".

Thence, along the northerly boundary of said Lot 1, Block 1, S 60° 08' W. 7.55 ft. to the N. W. corner of said lot, marked by a similar pipe with cap stamped LT 1 BL 1. Thence along the westerly boundary of said Lot 1, S 29° 30' E. 13.45 ft. to a similar pipe with cap stamped "B". Thence S 0° 32' 30" E. 102.17 ft. to the westerly boundary of Tallac Avenue of said Bijou Park Addition, marked by a similar pipe with cap stamped "C" and "TA". Thence along the westerly boundary of said Tallac Avenue S 29° 50' 30" E. 574.6 ft. to the S. E. corner, a similar pipe in a mound of rocks with cap stamped "SP-COR". Thence N 89° 29' 30" W. 952.2 ft. to the S. W. corner, a similar pipe with cap stamped "SW-COR". Thence N 0° 25' 30" W. 661.5 ft. to the N. W. corner, a galvanized pipe 2 ins. diam. set in the ground full length with top even with the surface.

Thence S 89° 57' E. 669.5 ft. to the N. E. corner and place of beginning. Containing 11.81 acres.

To William F. Ham and Annette C. Ham the following described real property situated, lying and being in the County of El Dorado, State of California:

Lot 1, Commencing at Cor. No. 1, a 3/4 inch galvanized pipe 2 ft. long, 15 ins. deep in a mound of rocks with cap stamped 20 1, 21 1, 386.3; from which 1/4 sec corner, No. 3 between Section 1 and 2, T. 12 N. R. 18 E. M. D. M. bears S 65° 59' W. 139.9 ft. distant.

Thence N 29° 42' W. 330 ft. to Cor. No. 2, a similar pipe, 18 ins. deep in a mound of rocks, with cap stamped 21, 22 1, 386.3. Thence N 60° 18' E. 660 ft. to Cor. No. 3, located on the westerly side of Bijou Park Boulevard, a similar pipe, 20 ins. deep in a mound of rocks, with cap stamped 21 3, 22 4, 386.3. Thence, along said boulevard, S 29° 42' E. 330 ft. to Cor. No. 4, a similar pipe, 16 ins. deep in a mound of rocks, with cap stamped 20 2, 21 4, 386.3. Thence S, 60° 18' W. 660 ft. to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning. Containing 5.00 acres.

To James A. Kenyon the following described real property situated, lying and being in the County of El Dorado, State of California:

Commencing at the S. E. corner of the tract herein described, a galvanized iron pipe 2 ft. long 3/4 ins. diam. set 1 inch deep into solid granite and in a mound of rocks, with cap stamped 9 - 3, 10 - 2, 386.3; from which the closing corner of Sections 1 and 2, T. 12 N. R. 18 E. M. D. M. a galvanized pipe 3/4 ins. diam. 1 ft. above ground in a mound of rocks bears N 12° 47' W. 69.04 ft. distant.

Thence S 60° 36' W. 660.0 ft. to the S. W. corner, located on the easterly boundary of Bijou Park Boulevard at a point marked by a galvanized iron pipe, 2 ft. long, 3/4 ins. diam., set 21 ins. deep and in a mound of rocks, with cap stamped 9 - 4, 10 - 1, 386.3.

Claims Allowed

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E. R. Harvey, parts	3.90
Tidewater Associated Oil Co., supplies	3.61
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C. S. Collins, supplies	12.00
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In Lieu No. 2	
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Fred Lowes, labor	105.73
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Dann Ball, labor	68.00
Dewey Miller, labor	80.00

THENCE, along the easterly side of said boulevard, N 29° 42' W. at 330 ft., a similar pipe, set 21 ins. deep in the ground with cap stamped 8 - 1, 386.3, 396.0 ft. to the N. W. corner, a point on the easterly side of said boulevard, THENCE N 60° 36' E. 660.0 ft. to the N. E. corner, THENCE S 29° 42' E. at 66 ft., a similar pipe, set 22 ins. deep and in a mound of rocks, with cap stamped 3 - 3, 9 - 2, 386.3; 396.0 ft. to the S. E. corner, the place of beginning. Containing 6.00 acres.

The above property located in Lot 1 of Sec. 1 and Lot 1 of Sec. 2 of T. 12 N. R. 18 E. M. D. M., and in the SW¹/₄ of Sec. 34, T. 13 N. R. 18 E. M. D. M.

The interest to be conveyed being an undivided one-fourth interest. Reference is hereby made to the said Petition for further particulars. Dated this 8th day of December, 1941.

ARTHUR J. KOLETZKE, Clerk.

By Gladys Gardella, Deputy, Thomas Maul, Attorney for Executrix.

Republican - Dec. 9-10t daily - Dec. 18.

NOTICE OF SALE

Dept. No. 41--No. 115393 In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

In the Matter of the Estate of HENRY ENEAS SMITH, An Incompetent Person.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That Amy Mary Smith, guardian of the person and estate of Henry Eneas Smith, an incompetent person, will sell at private sale in one lot to the highest bidder upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned and subject to confirmation on the 12th day of December, 1941, all of the right, title, interest and estate of the said Henry Eneas Smith, an incompetent person, and all the right, title and interest in the said estate has in operation of law or otherwise acquired in and to that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the County of El Dorado, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Six (6) of Section Thirty-two (32) Township Eleven (11) North, Range Ten (10) East, M. D. M., containing Six and eighty-five hundredths (6.85) acres, more or less.

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AMY MARY SMITH, Guardian of the estate of Henry Eneas Smith, An Incompetent person.

Thomas Maul, Attorney for Guardian.

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"BOTH HARMLESS!"

One morning Henry Blank read this statement in his newspaper:

"In his speech last night the professor said that a skunk, unless annoyed, was as harmless as a pussy cat."

What this professor said was an OPINION. Note that the newspaper REPORTED it as an opinion. But Henry didn't read his paper CAREFULLY.

Henry accepted the professor's opinion as fact. And a few days later, when he met a skunk, he bent down and PATTED it.

Now Henry's neighbors won't let him live his own life in his own way...

There are MANY facts and opinions reported in your newspaper. Facts about marriages, deaths, bills passed by Congress, new products on the market, their cost, where you can

buy them. OPINIONS such as editorial comments on world events, guesses as

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES
 25c per line for 2 weeks 12 insert's
 50c per line for 1 month 24 insert's
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 \$2400—new home in Uppertown.
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GOOD Guitar. Box 171, Placerville. d5-3t.

PRIVATE GARAGE close to business district. Rent must be reasonable. Permanent. Inquire Pville Republican. d2-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

USED Typewriters wanted. See Mr. Johnson at Mountain Democrat office Tuesday, Nov. 25th. n13-6t

SIGNS, SHOWCARDS, GOLD LEAF Trucks lettered, banners, etc. Orders taken at this office for Mac-ray Signs. s18-6tc.

FOR SALE

BICYCLE. Good condition. See it at the Western Union office. d3-6t

MODERN 16 ft. trailer house. Excellent condition. 167 Coloma St. D1-3t.

GOOD 410 Shotgun. Box 171, Pville. d5-3t.

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ROOM and board for gentleman. Phone 592. d9-tfc.

TWO nicely furn. apt. Reasonable. 78 Bedford. Phone 50J. d9-6t.

3 ROOM House, garage, bath, partly furn. \$17 mo. Pacific Hill, Clark St. Phone 127R. d9-6t.

SMALL House, Smiths Flat, modern. Inquire W. Jeskey, Smiths Flat. d8-3t.

1 RM. Furn. cabins, \$12.50 and \$10. Water free. 32 Union St. Oc19-tfc

NICELY furnished 3 room apt. Garage, laundry hot water. Reasonable. Apply 67 Coloma St.

6 RM. Furn. house, garage. 92 Bedford Ave. N19-tfc.

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FURN cottage. Ldry, gas and wood stoves ref. water, garage, Clean, comfortable. Convenient to store and P. O. J. W. Rice, Smith Flat. D2-6t.

OR WILL sell, 7 rm. hse., completely furn., hot and cold water in every room. Inquire 11 Cary St. m28td

FURN House, 3 rms. bath and garage \$16. Swingles. Phone 41P2. d3-12t.

LIVING quarters in return for few hours labor. Write Box 432, Placerville. d20tc.

DUPLEX apartment, unfur.; 3-R., garage; elec. stove, water heater; oil heat. MRS. RUBY ALLEN, 45 Lincoln St.

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FURN Apt. Close in. Adults only. 25 Coloma St. s3-tfc.

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FURNISHED Apartment. Inquire Wudell's Store. j34-tf.

ONE, two, and three room Apts. Bedford Inn. 65 Bedford Ave. c24-tfc.



MORE SCORES

We hate to be like that lady who starts talking about her operation and never seems to quit but here's more dope on the Pittsburg play on Sunday.

A listing of scores left for us at the Pear Bowl shows that the Placerville ladies: M. Payne, 445; M. Bildeaux, 407; A. Landis, 487; A. Whigam, 440 and O. Le Bourveau, 474, piled up a total of 2253 which was substantially better than the 1925 for Pittsburg.

In the men's matches, R. Whigam, 546; E. Collins, 537; D. Le Bourveau, 558; L. West, 509 and W. White, 552, amassed a total of 2,702 pins which was just ten less than their opponents.

The second men's team, J. Pederson, 587; G. Gustavson, 552; G. Campbell, 485; J. Butchko, 534; and Tom McGrath, 482, rang the bell with 2646 pins as compared with 2,384 for Pittsburg; and John Pederson's 237 was high game for the match.

PONY EXPRESS LEAGUE

The Gene Morrisons, who share first place with St. Patrick's meet the third place Coca Colas tonight, while the Irish have a session with the Davenporters, who are tied for second place with the Round Tent. And the Round Tenters are scheduled to roll the fourth place Lions.

HANGTOWN LEAGUE

The Bank of America took three from the Raffles Monday night with Jack Cummings getting a 556 for the evening. Score:

Raffles			
L. B. Rantz	139	123	120-392
R. Strum	154	122	116-392
J. Raffetto	91	156	153-403
S. Murray	142	127	160-429
L. Raffetto	128	118	134-380
Handicap	10	11	11-32
	667	651	694-2018

Bank of America

P. Smith	167	188	142-497
B. Williams	166	121	140-427
R. Ellis	108	105	153-366
L. McKenzie	117	103	114-334
S. Summings	193	201	162-556
	751	718	711-2180

High series and high game for the night appear to go to Bill White with a 238 and a 624 total, which helped the Beach Box win two over Cannon Chevrolet. The score:

Cannon Chevrolet			
T. Garrick	136	158	148-442
Cannon	140	155	159-454
Bell	111	156	99-366
Reeder	158	140	117-415
Hanley	167	175	157-499
Handicap	24	25	25-74
	736	809	701-2049

Beach Box

B. Smith	165	130	108-403
Vanderhayden	155	128	113-396
J. Beach	129	149	156-435
B. White	179	238	707-624
S. Beach	178	222	114-514
	796	866	700-2362

The Forest Service returned to its old-time form to grab two from the Collins Studebakers after the auto men had taken the first one. The score:

Collins Studebakers			
Weatherwax	178	193	165-536
Garrick	110	111	123-352
Wigglesworth	131	111	129-371
Westphal	125	112	119-486
C. Collins	132	136	121-389
Handicap	2	2	2-6
	678	673	687-2040

Forest Service

Buck	164	144	144-452
Barker	174	123	158-453
Keuseff	130	171	152-453
E. Smith	84	134	111-362
Kincaid	122	129	137-388
	674	701	733-2108

Seasonal Haircuts

FORT PAYNE, Ala., (AP)—The sound of the first whippoorwill in the spring and "sorghum-making" time in the fall herald a semi-annual event for R. H. Griggs of DeKalb county, Alabama. Those seasonal signs means it's time for him to get his hair cut. "Uncle Rip," as he is known throughout the county, will not have his hair cut but twice a year.

HOUSE, 32 Chamberlain St. n14-6t

HOUSE for rent. 194 Coloma St. n6-12.

ROOM with adjoining bath. 126 Canal St. n28-6t.

3 RM. Furn. modern apt. Bath, gas range, garage. Adults only, no pets. 126 Main St. Large house opposite Raley's. d2-tfc.

LOST

ONE Gasoline delivery hose. Reward. Union Oil Co., Placerville. d9-3t.

HELP WANTED

SALESMEN and sales ladies wanted. Enquire Max Beer Store. d4-tf.

First Citizen Buys First Seal



The No. 1 citizen of the United States buys the first Christmas seal, to aid the national tuberculosis drive. President Roosevelt is shown receiving the stamps from Steven Dohanos, artist who designed the seals.

COLOMA NEWS NOTES

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Lillian Elizabeth Metcalf, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Metcalf, and Mr. Gordon Allen Carman of San Francisco which will take place at noon Sunday, Dec. 21st in our old Episcopal Church.

The Vic Parker orchestra, in which Jack Cummings plays saxophone, played at Folsom last Saturday night and this Saturday night plays at Pleasant Valley. This orchestra is becoming very popular with the dancing public.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hurst of San Francisco spent the weekend at their summer place here.

Not only those who recently purchased homes here but all the old-timers are very much disturbed over rumors of flooding old Coloma valley so full of historical interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Demuth, recent arrivals here and Mrs. Besie McBride were Auburn visitors

Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Masoner of Pollock Pines are here for the winter, visitors at the home of Mrs. E. De Lory.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Daniels of South San Francisco spent the weekend at their summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brink have moved here from Bakersfield and are settled in their new home built on land recently bought from Mrs. E. DeLory.

Rev. and Mrs. Castledine conducted Sunday school in the old Episcopal church here Sunday afternoon with a good attendance and after Sunday school the children practices songs for their Christmas pageant, which is being arranged and keenly looked forward to.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fouk and two children moved to Rescue Monday where the former is in charge of the dredge working there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smeland, who have conducted the store and service station at Gold Discovery Park

since last March, will move to the former Jim Balderson store on Main Street this week where they will be glad to meet all their old friends and welcome new ones.

Perley Monroe of Sacramento was calling on Coloma and Lotus friends last Sunday.

Some fifty people gathered at the Community hall last Saturday night to dance again the old time quadrilles, waltzes and other dances. The music furnished by Mrs. C. Chadwick piano, Newt Groat violin and George Balderson, guitar, was fine and plenty of fun filled the hours until midnight when lunch was served. The next meeting will be announced later.

Jim Monroe was a Sacramento visitor Wednesday, on business and pleasure.

In spite of the rainy weather a good crowd gathered for the Rebekah card party Saturday night, eleven tables being played. Among those from outside were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hume of Garden Valley.

Mrs. M. Stoltzfus and her nephew, Sam Summers, attended the card party at Meadowbrook last Saturday night and report a fine time.

During the last rain storm the river crossed the road down by the Spoon place, at the lower end of the De Lory ranch, for quite a distance. What that old river will do, now that the rocks are piled so high on the north side should it really come up, is a question.

PUBLIC INVITED TO ATTEND TRUSTEE INSTITUTE

School Superintendent K. K. McCoy, calling attention to the institute meeting of school trustees of the county on Wednesday evening, pointed out that the public generally is welcome to attend the meeting.

The session will be held at 7:30 o'clock at Placerville Grammar School Superintendent K. W. Mcmutual interest to school trustees, school janitors, and to the parents and patrons of schools generally.

Advertising Too Successful

RALEIGH, N. C., (AP)—Gov. J. M. Broughton arrived unexpectedly in a western North Carolina resort city and was unable to secure accommodations at his favorite hotel.

He returned to the capital and chided the State Advertising Division for doing "too good a job."

Tokyo And Kobe Bombed, Report

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from the Philippine capital.

Japanese claims that Guam and Wake Islands had been taken, also were not confirmed.

Severe land fighting was in progress on the Malaya coast however, as the Japanese sought to strike toward Britain's great naval base at Singapore.

Japanese seizure of Thailand facilitated the drive against northwestern Malaya, but British dispatches said that the enemy landing parties which gained a foothold on the beaches near Kota Bharu airport were being wiped out.

Northward, where Thailand joins Burma and Indo China, the Japanese were said by the Berlin radio to have opened an attack on the Burma Road supply route to China. Japan was paying greatest attention to the position of Germany and the Soviet Union toward the far eastern war, and indicated that immediate help was expected from her axis partners.

The Japanese radio also issued an indirect warning to the Soviets to keep out of the conflict, asserting that Japanese-held Manchukuo is prepared to keep her northern frontiers intact. Tokyo has frequently asserted that it would fight any attempt to establish British or American air bases in the Vladivostok sector, from which attacks could be launched on Tokyo.

Germany's role in the Pacific conflict still was not clear, although the axis spokesman indicated every assistance would be given Japan. A Montevideo newspaper reported that the 10,000-ton German pocket battleship was already raiding off the South American coast.

Rumors circulated without official support that Germany might declare war against the United States, but Berlin sources described this as "improbable."

"Pattern" Of War, Subject

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does."

"How was it, if the reports from San Francisco are true, the Japanese planes could get so near our west coast?" Early was asked.

"You can be sure that the Army and Navy on the President's instructions are on the alert for defense," he said, adding that this alert involved not only the Pacific Coast and San Francisco but other areas.

"The picture is much bigger," Early said.

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